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20th Century-Fox and Zenith exchange verbal blows, with even antitrust action hinted.

One of the television industry's hottest controversies—theatre TV versus Zenith Radio Corporation's pay-as-you-view Phonevision—came to a furious boil last week at the Chicago convention of the Society of Motion Picture & Television Engineers. When the smoke cleared, the situation looked like this:

- Spyros P. Skouras, 20th Century-Fox Film Corporation president, flatly refused to provide films for Phonevision. He also revealed plans for 20th Century Theatre TV tests in 20 cities.
- Zenith's John P. Howland labelled refusal to sell films

for Phonevision infringement on the public's rights, implied antitrust action against the motion picture industry.

• Zenith's president, Eugene F. McDonald, father of Phonevision, said that TV itself, not Phonevision, was shrinking movie attendance, declared that Phonevision would hypo the motion picture industry. Mr. Skouras' firm, he said, was "one of about four" that had refused to supply films. Others mentioned were Radio-Keith-Orpheum Corporation and Paramount Pictures Corporation.

The Hollywood Stand

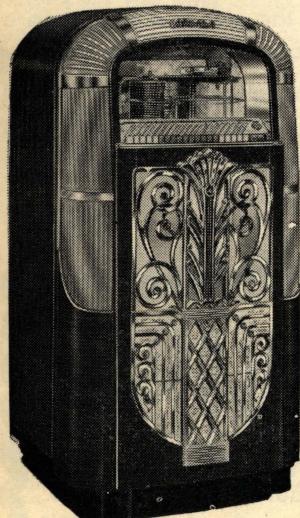
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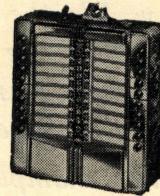
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A little example of this was shown one day when a mechanic, not finding anything wrong when called, walked over to the location owner and raised the devil. The stop was lost. Remember, the location owner, as long as he has your equipment in his place, is your "boss"; he is the one to be satisfied. He is the man with whom you have DIRECT CONTACT.

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That question was raised last week in Washington as the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee mulled over the broad definition of "gambling devices" contained in the Johnson Bill.

One member of the committee said if he bet he could walk to the Capitol in 2,000 steps, that would be gambling, and if he used a gadget to count the steps then he had a device that could be adapted for gambling purposes.

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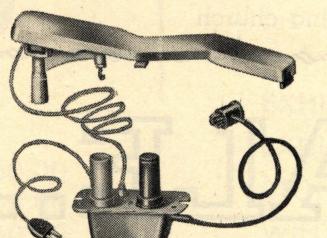
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receipts, he predicted, would triple, and thousands in rural areas would enjoy entertainment available only to "the few selected people in New York and other metropolitan areas."

On Phonevision he was adamant. "We will protect the theatres because our first allegiance is to the thousands of theatre men who built up this industry," he declared. He turned down Zenith "because we believe the public will be served best through theatre television, and because the theatres, through the facilities of TV, will present 'undreamed of entertainment' both in quantity and quality." He stressed, however, that motion pictures will remain the basic entertainment.

Stay-at-home entertainment, Mr. Skouras predicted, would practically wipe out community life. "It would have a catastrophic effect on not just one, but all media of communication, including the newspapers and magazines. Not only that," he said, "but every store around the community movie theatre would suffer; the real estate values in all those communities would topple to the extent of billions of dollars and the effects would be felt by the doctor, the lawyer, and all other professional men as well . . ." He saw home TV by itself affecting church

attendance, and participation in civic affairs, even TV's own destruction "amidst such general paralysis."

Urging engineers to concentrate on theatre TV, he outlined 20th Century's efforts to "prove that TV is a tremendous boon, instead of disaster." He recalled the firm's costly three-year effort with RCA to develop large-screen TV, alluded to Paramount's progress on its own similar invention, and to applications to the FCC from "all the film companies" for theatre TV channels.

"I wish to announce here today," he said, "that 20th Century-Fox and its subsidiary, the National Theatres, while waiting for channels from the FCC, proposes to invest millions of dollars and go ahead immediately to prove to the world (the value of theatre TV)."

Instead of waiting two or three years for a test of theatre TV, he said, "we now propose to make this test at the beginning of next year, in 20 theatres in the Los Angeles area . . . we have approached the American Telephone & Telegraph Company and are today negotiating with them to supply the channels necessary . . ."

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The story behind the "commuting candy vender" is interesting. It was placed by demand of the group of 74 business men who lease car 555 for their own use. The machine itself, a six-column Stoner, without base, is mounted on a built-in lowboy bureau off the main passageway in the club section of the car. It is held in place against the wall by angle brackets.

According to Evans Spalding, custodian of the vender and car purser, the machine is averaging eight sales per trip. He expects that this average will be increased as the commuters grow accustomed to the idea that they can munch a candy bar en route to and from their offices.

Spalding, who is one of the group of 74 men who lease the car, was instrumental in contacting Stoner and making arrangements to place the unit in the car. He purchases the candy supplies, while a regular car at-

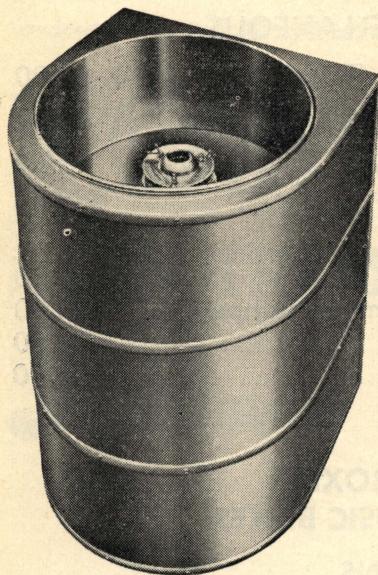
tendant removes the coins and sees to it that the machine is always stocked. Money from the vender is applied toward the purchase of new supplies, with net profits channelled into a general fund the commuters maintain for car up-keep, lease expense and the car attendant's salary.

Car 555 has a maximum capacity of 63 riders, but the full complement of commuters never uses the car on any one day. An average of 55 men come into Chicago in the mornings and 40 return to the suburb on it in the evenings.

While the method of operation is off the beaten track, it spotlights the workability of vending equipment in unusual locations.

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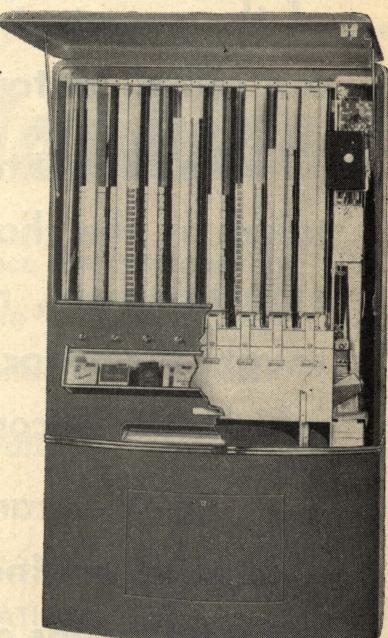
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Mr. Skouras predicted the "establishment of four or five competitive networks or circuits in each natural area, or time zone of the country . . . to service from 500 to 1,000 theatres in each network."

Zenith's Retort

Zenith Corporation, with a small fortune in Phonevision, and expecting a 90-day test of the medium set for next September, lost no time in answering the challenge. In what apparently was a last-minute substitute for a technical speech, Zenith's Col. Howland asserted the motion picture producers could not legally refuse their films for the Phonevision test. "We have offered to pay every producer the same rate for his film that he would charge any other theatre with the same audience," he declared. "Our counsel has advised us that under the circumstances the producers cannot legally refuse to rent us the film."

He labelled theatre TV "merely Phonevision in another form," explaining that in both cases the air would be used to collect directly from the public for the entertainment they see, with one audience viewing at home and the other in theatres.

He had no bone to pick with theatre TV, he said, in fact Zenith favors the granting of channels for this purpose. "I understand," he went on, "that with theatre TV it is proposed that feature motion picture films, live theatrical entertainment, great sporting events . . . are to be delivered to theatres on an exclusive basis where admission will be charged to the public. Why," he asked, "should not the public be permitted to see these films . . . in their homes for a fee?"

He hinted at collusion among the motion picture companies and stated that if the public wanted to see good movies in the by means of Phonevision, the pay-as-you-see TV system, no selfish interests should be able to deprive them of that privilege.

Sea Shoe Shines

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 28. — Shoe shiners have invaded the Canadian Navy and the Maritime Provinces. What are believed to be the first units to be installed in a floating location are the two machines on board the Canadian aircraft carrier Magnificent, based here. The ship carries about 1,000 men and the enthusiastic reception accorded the shiners may result in similar installations on smaller vessels of the fleet.

Other shoe shiners, dime-operated as are those on the Magnificent, are in the Halifax and Dartmouth terminals and on the two steamers of the Halifax-Dartmouth ferry. A total of eight shiners ashore and afloat have been installed by the ferry commission. Installations are on a trial basis. If the commission finds the machines show a profit at the end of a month, they will be retained.

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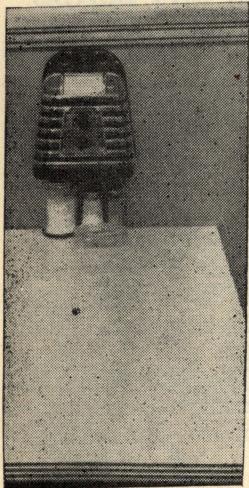
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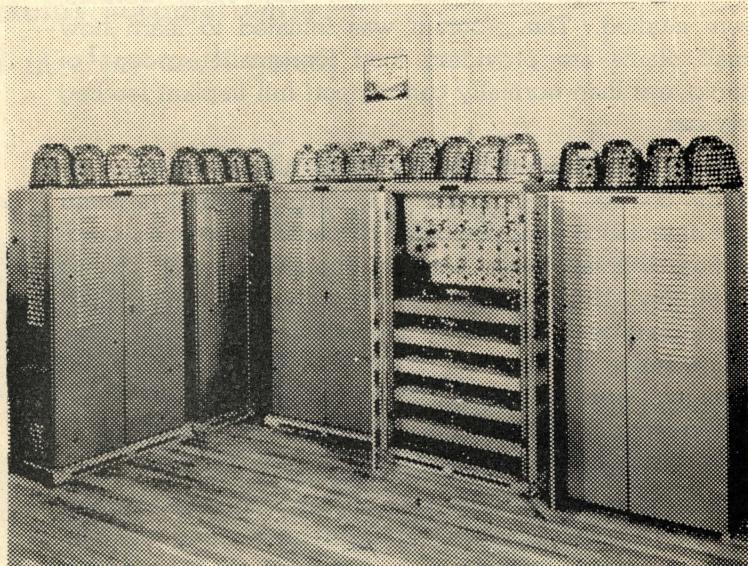
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Coin Machines Going Full Blast in Most Factory, Survey Shows

New York, April 29. — Vending machines are the most popular source of supplementary feeding in industrial plants, according to results of a representative survey of medium-size firms in 10 states. The automatic dispensers are also the only type of food source returning a consistent profit to management or employee welfare groups, the poll disclosed.

The survey, results of which have just been tabulated, was conducted by the field research division of the Paper Cup and Container Institute Inplant feeding systems in 26 plants. Each employing fewer than 1,000 workers, were studied. The program was initiated to learn how small plants are providing food for smaller groups of employees than normally can support full in-plant feeding services.

Twelve of the factories surveyed housed venders for candy, cookies, peanuts and soft drinks. Several reported experimentation with machines dispensing wrapped sandwiches, although none were in operation at the time of the survey. High cost and the difficulty of obtaining fresh sandwiches were given by management as reasons for discontinuing the service. But pollsters found that plant managers were following with interest the development of venders to serve "substantial hot food items." Hot coffee was singled out particularly.

With cafeteria facilities in medium plants usually run at a financial loss, commissions paid by vending machine operators were in some cases substantial. Profits from the machines were occasionally set aside to help underwrite cafeteria deficits. Often they were earmarked for important employee welfare purposes. In one New England plant cup machines earn \$200 a month for the employees' association.

In most cases, according to the report, management insisted on cup venders as against bottle machines to reduce accidents from broken or rolling bottles. The Armstrong Cork Company, for instance, was said to ban any breakable utensil from its factory floor as a safety measure and for the protection of stock.

No Big Problem

Competition between vending machines and other food services was found not to be regarded as a serious problem. "One company," reported the Institute, "thought the candy and pop machines competed with the sale of candy and pop in the cafeteria. In other plants competition was avoided by not serving vended goods in cafeterias, but most felt that the competition was unimportant because the machines were selling at hours when the cafeteria was closed. A Cleveland foundry, for instance, liked the

vending machines because they made it unnecessary to keep the cafeteria open beyond the lunch hour for "snackers."

Plants sampled in the survey were scattered over California, Oregon, Ohio, Indiana, North Carolina, Florida, Rhode Island, Connecticut and Massachusetts.

SIEGEL DISTRIBUTING COMPANY LEADS WAY IN GOOD WILL

In Vancouver the school children of the city have been invited with their instructors to make tours of the Siegel Distributing Company Coin Machine Headquarters there. The purpose is to explain to the children and their teachers the newest developments in the vending field. They are shown the interior of typical machines, how they are built, and also how coin changing mechanisms function.

Each week several days are set aside from 9:15 a.m. through to 10:15 a.m. so that classes in Elementary, Junior High and High Schools may make such expeditions. Then, when the children return to their classrooms they prepare compositions on the subject, "How Vending Machines Help the Community." For the best compositions turned in from these classes, Siegel Distributing Company are awarding suitable prizes.

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THIRD MAN THEME Ernst Naser—24916
2. MY FOOLISH HEART Gordon Jenkins Orch.—24830
Vocal Sandy Evans
3. CHOO'N GUM Andrews Sisters—24998
4. DEARIE Ray Bolger - Ethel Merman—24873
DEARIE Guy Lombardo Orch.—24899
5. THE OLD PIANO ROLL BLUES Hoagy Carmichael - Cass Daley—24977
6. DADDY'S LITTLE GIRL Mills Brothers—24872
7. SENTIMENTAL ME Russ Morgan Orch.—24904
8. BEWITCHED Gordon Jenkins Orch.—24983
Vocal Bonnie Williams
9. A PAPER FULL OF FISH & CHIPS Danny Kaye—24945
10. CANDY & CAKE Evelyn Knight—24943
11. JOLLY FELLA TARANTELLA Andrews Sisters—24965
with Guy Lombardo
12. QUICKSILVER Bing Crosby - Andrews Sisters—24827

R.C.A. VICTOR

1. 20-3681 MY FOOLISH HEART Mindy Carson
*47-3204
2. 20-3698 THE 3RD MAN THEME Irving Fields' Trio
*47-3222
20-3709
*47-3242
3. 20-3609 IT ISN'T FAIR Sammy Kaye
*47-3115
4. 20-3693 MUSIC! MUSIC! MUSIC! Freddy Martin
*47-3217
56-5197 (French Version) Andre Rancourt
*57-0069
5. 20-3713 (If I Knew You Were Comin') THE FONTAINE
*47-3713 SISTERS
30-0027
*54-0027 LUCYANN POLK
6. 20-3696 DEARIE Lisa Kirk - Fran Warren
*47-3220
7. 20-3550 DADDY'S LITTLE GIRL Phil Regan
*47-3043
*45 rpm record

COLUMBIA RECORDS

1. IF I KNEW YOU WERE COMING Al Trace—C1475
I'D'VE BAKED A CAKE
2. THE THIRD MAN THEME Cafe Vienna Quartet—C1430
3. MY FOOLISH HEART Hugo Winterhalter—C1466
4. IT ISN'T FAIR Les Brown—C1493
5. DEARIE Marjorie Hughes—C1485
6. MUSIC! MUSIC! MUSIC! Hugo Winterhalter—C1468
7. DADDY'S LITTLE GIRL Dick Jurgens—C1476
8. CANDY & CAKE Arthur Godfrey—C1486
9. BEWITCHED Doris Day—C6528
10. HOOP-DEE-DOO Doris Day—C1517
Frankie Yankovic—C1535

GOING STRONG

- I FOUND MY MAMMA Rosemary Clooney—C1513
- ASK ME NO QUESTIONS Dinah Shore &—C1512
- LA VIE EN ROSE Dusty Walker
Harry James—C1515

Pot Pourri . . .

A planned public relations program is paying off for Canadian operators in Vancouver . . . Three Star Coin Co. in Edmonton has arranged Vender displays in downtown department store windows, everything from cigarette vendors to Nylon Hose venders have been on display . . . displaying large posters, the coin firm found the department store quite eager to co-operate . . . why not try this goodwill promotion in your community or city . . . an advertisement in Billboard proclaims that a certain type of bowling game is earning at the rate of 4 bucks per hour and that it has taken in \$3,270 in 3 months . . . we know some of these games are good but there is no use stretching the thing too far . . . TV sets are being licensed at the rate of 10,000 a month in Great Britain . . . a survey of operators in Ontario and PQ results in the finding that they all expect a spurt of biz after June 1st . . . feeling is general that everyone is pinched from paying local municipal and income taxes . . . shuffle play has proven that it has sufficient player appeal to stand continued repeat play for months . . . in the main it is the belief of ops generally that it has proven its success . . . Sam Schwartz of Montreal is readying for the Vending market a console type cig. vender . . . Mack Levin has a nifty pool table game, coin operated, which should receive a lot of attention . . . Mack has operated very successfully a wired music system that has pioneered a lot of new ideas in this industry . . . Wurlitzers new 1250 plays 48 selections . . . the new Zenith Cobra Tone pick-ups are guaranteed to save 50-75% on record costs . . . American selling prices are reported to be \$759.50 . . . Coin ops in U.S. have been the logical people to launch and distribute Television for taverns . . . New large screens are being built for use in taverns . . . here are a few excerpts from a book which coin ops should read entitled "Think And Grow Rich," by Napoleon Hill . . . it says "Both poverty and riches are the offspring of thought" . . . also it goes on to say . . . "There are no limitations to the mind except those we set up" . . . here is another one very true . . . "The depression was a blessing in disguise. It reduced the whole world to a new starting point that gives everyone a new opportunity" . . . Ernie Dowsett is building a new racing boat . . . his office is loaded with trophies of past winnings . . . Photo stamps are currently the easiest and hottest way of making money to come on the scene . . . the Photo Stamp Co. of 175 Bloor East, Toronto, is busy appointing Distibs now . . . Albert Clazir has a new bowling game which should be available for the summer season . . . It is the form of a rol-down type game . . . electrically operated . . . and coin operated.

Kleenex Sold Direct To Ops;

NEW VEND COUNT ON 5 CENT CARTON

Chicago, Ill., April 29. — International Cellucotton Products Company has announced two cost-saving measures for Kleenex operators plus a new vend count for the nickel pack. B. E. Hopper, official, stated the vend pack can now be purchased direct by the operator and that additional savings are possible thru lower quantity orders at correspondingly lower prices. Both combine to effect about a quarter-cent saving per nickel pack, reducing the cost from .0305 to .0275 cents.

Quantity prices are now offered on orders of five cases (each three gross count) at \$13.18 each, 10 cases at \$12.55 and 25 cases at \$12 each. Formerly, quantity orders were held to 25, 60 and 65 case orders. The direct-purchase, quantity prices are available only on the new vend pack which eliminates the display carton, Hooper said.

Cellucotton's sales and packaging moves, coming about a year after the licensing of at least three different manufacturers to produce venders dispensing the trade-marked item, is seen as a further stimulant to such operations. The first Kleenex vender was placed on the market early last year, following introduction of Cellucotton's purse-size package in 1948. Originally, due to demand for the new size running ahead of supply, operators had to buy through established Kleenex wholesalers, such as drug supply houses, etc.

Ernie Dowsett Has Big Money-Maker

AVAILABLE FOR OPERATORS

Ernie Dowsett, one of Canada's most popular operators and also president of Atlas Music of Ottawa, has launched a new money-maker called the "WRIST TWIST."

The potential money making power of this new machine was demonstrated during the first 24 hours and the take averaged \$1.00 an hour (while the location was open to the public).

It is along the principle of the grip scale idea, incorporating the Indian Wrestle feature. It is a strongly built unit with a smart design and is a 5 cent play.

It is a "natural" for such locations as poolrooms, bowling alleys, bus depots, arcades, etc.

The price runs around \$350.00 and delivery is immediate.

Distributors For Sehl Boxes

Coin Box regrets the error in publishing the Distributors in the advertisement of the Sehl Engineering Co. on the inside back cover.

Listed below are the Distributors and we ask the operators across Canada to check this list carefully.

**Baldwin Distributing Co., Ltd., 620 King St. W.,
Toronto, Ont.**

**Amusement Coin Machine Co., 10221-95th St.,
Edmonton, Alta.**

**Victor Novelty Company, 1887 Beaubien E.,
Montreal 35, Quebec**

**Jones Electric Supply Company Ltd., 96 King St.,
St. John, N.B.**

**National Amusements & Novelties Ltd.,
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**Saskatoon Coin Machine Co.,
233 Twenty-Second St., Saskatoon, Sask.**

**"MR. JOHNNY" BACK AT DESK AFTER
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Johnny Achlidates, or more fondly known in Montreal as "Mr. Johnny", is again back at his desk as head of Victory Novelty, at 1887 Beaubien St.

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MUSIC—1100's, 1015's 700's 24c's: MILLS-Thrones Empress: ROCKOLAS--Luxury Liner: STANDARD A.M.I.'s, Top Flight, Singing Towers, Streamliners, etc.---Many others too numerous to mention.

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Details of Vendo Coin Changer Operator-Sub-Distributor Franchise

A Vendo Coin Changer as described and illustrated in the enclosed literature is a new sensational piece of precision mechanical equipment capable of automatically providing change (Five Nickels for a Quarter — Two Nickels for a Dime). They are intended for installation alongside of Coin Operated Soft Drink Dispensers — Pay Telephones — Juke Boxes — Pay Toilet Locks — Sanitary Napkin Dispensing Units and any other form of five cent vending machines or service appliances.

Several hundred Vendo Coin Changers have been installed across the Dominion in the comparatively short time they have been available in this country. A partial list of some of these installations, which are increasing daily, is attached hereto.

Vendo Coin Changer units are proving most popular for a variety of reasons. For example:—

(a) In industrial plants, warehouses and offices, where thousands of soft drink, candy and other types of nickel vending machines are in use, the problem of providing change is most serious. A survey on our part indicates that at such locations, before Vendo units were installed, expensive clerical help were spending up to two hours a day providing change for employees. The installation of Vendo units is saving management of such places of business up to \$40.00 or \$50.00 per month.

(b) It has been proven time and time again that the minute a Vendo Coin Changer is installed alongside of nickel vending machines, sales of merchandise increase from 15 to 20%. The additional profit from such increased sales far more than pays the rental of the Vendo unit or units.

(c) Wherever the human element is involved mistakes will occur. Where the exchange of money takes place this can become serious. Vendo Coin Changers eliminate entirely any such costly errors. The Vendo unit is foolproof. It will not only reject any form of slug or bogus coinage deposited, but will also return a coin fashioned to the precise measurements of a quarter or a dime. This is accomplished through testing the magnetic content of any such slugs inserted in the rejector unit.

One of the best type of outlets for Vendo units is alongside of soft drink Vending Machines. For example, the Coca-Cola Company, who have and are continuing to sell or rent hundreds and hundreds of their "Coke" bottle and cup dispensing machines to all types of businesses, are most enthusiastic over our Vendo Coin Changer units. It is our privilege to work very closely with Coca-Cola Ltd., and they are not only willing, but are most enthusiastic and anxious to supply any of our operators across Canada with an up-to-date list of locations where their dispensers have been sold or installed on rental. While to the best of our knowledge Coca-Cola Ltd. are the only Canadian bottling concern marketing soft

drinks through dispensing machines, we know that other bottlers such as Pepsi-Cola, Canada Dry, etc., are developing similar units, which will have the effect of greatly expanding the market for Vendo units in this field.

In our own large operation in Toronto and suburbs Vendo units are made available under several plans which are outlined herewith:—

1. Vendo units have been sold outright at a price of \$143.00, although we do everything possible to discourage such outright purchases.

2. Vendo units are rented at a basic rate of \$4.50 per month (\$5.25 per month when a heavy duty pedestal stand is supplied). The establishment of this basic rental in any particular territory is entirely in the hands of the individual operator since obviously certain locations should command more rental than others.

3. Vendo units may be installed at no expense to the location, in which case the operator reserves the privilege of selling the valuable advertising panel space on the front of the Vendo unit to any outside party or parties. This advertising panel measures 7½" x 7½", and if necessary can be split up into as many as six individual panels carrying six separate "ads". Such installations are much more profitable to an operator than straight rentals since in fairly prominent locations up to \$12.50 per month or \$150.00 per year is being derived from the sale of advertising space. As in the case of straight rentals, charges for this advertising is left entirely to the discretion of the operator.

While Vendo Coin Changer units list at \$143.00 F.O.B. Toronto, we extend a special price of \$120.00 to operator-sub-distributors. This provides for a reasonable margin of profit on any outright sales that may be made.

Vendo Coin Changer units may be purchased by operator-sub-distributors under the two following plans:—

1. Outright purchase for cash or C.O.D. shipment at \$120.00 each, F.O.B. Toronto.

2. Under a time payment plan which provides for payment of 50% of the total value of units purchased, with the balance payable in twelve months. This plan involves a finance charge on the unpaid balance of between 5½ and 8%, depending on the amount of the unpaid balance. Under favorable financial circumstances a down payment of 33⅓% of the total cost of the units is acceptable.

Vendo Coin Changer units are foolproof to a point where service is a relatively unimportant item. The Vendo franchise can be handled as a spare time venture, since outside of original installation—which can be contracted for—monthly or quarterly invoicing of rental or advertis-

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Details of Vendo Coin . . .

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ing and the infrequent service call, very little time is needed to carry on a fairly large Vendo operation.

To clarify the Vendo franchise as outlined herein, let us assume that over a period of approximately three months an operator-sub-distributor purchased and installed fifty units. Based on a medium return of \$4.50 per unit he would have created an assured monthly revenue of \$225.00. However, considering the proportion of more lucrative advertising contract installations, a more conservative fair average per unit per month would be \$7.50, for a revenue of \$375.00 a month.

If the fifty units were purchased outright for cash a capital investment of \$6,000.00 would be involved. At \$375.00 per month or \$4,500.00 per year he would have regained 75% of his capital investment, in one year!

If our time payment plan were used, a capital investment of \$3,000.00 would be involved in the purchase of fifty units. The unpaid balance would be \$3,180.00, including finance charges of \$265.00 per month, leaving a net profit of \$1,320.00 after re-paying the \$3,000.00 financed.

In the exclusive territories we are prepared to grant to responsible operator-sub-distributors, an operation of 100 to 150 Vendo units should not be difficult to build up. Such an operation would gross from \$7,500.00 to \$11,250.00 per year.

Interested potential operator-sub-distributors for Vendo Coin Changers will no doubt have numerous further questions they would like to have answered. Such enquiries will be welcomed. Address all correspondence to:

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The importation of automatic phonographs on a quota basis will commence in Canada on July 1st. However, quota restrictions will limit this severely as far as quantity is concerned.

Pin games have been on a 50% quota rating since a ruling to this effect last October.

At this writing and at the time of going to press, other games and vending machines are still under ban.

CLEAN SWEEP

Cleveland, O., April 29. — Beckrest & Jans Corporation has installed 100 Kleenex venders throughout the downtown Terminal Towers Building here, mainly in washrooms for employee use. Stand, rather than wall mountings are used, following preference of building management.

Move marks the first complete coverage of a major "skyscraper" with such vending equipment. Beckrest & Jans, with headquarters in suburban West Lake, reports it is continuing to expand its Kleenex route of Vend-Rite machines.

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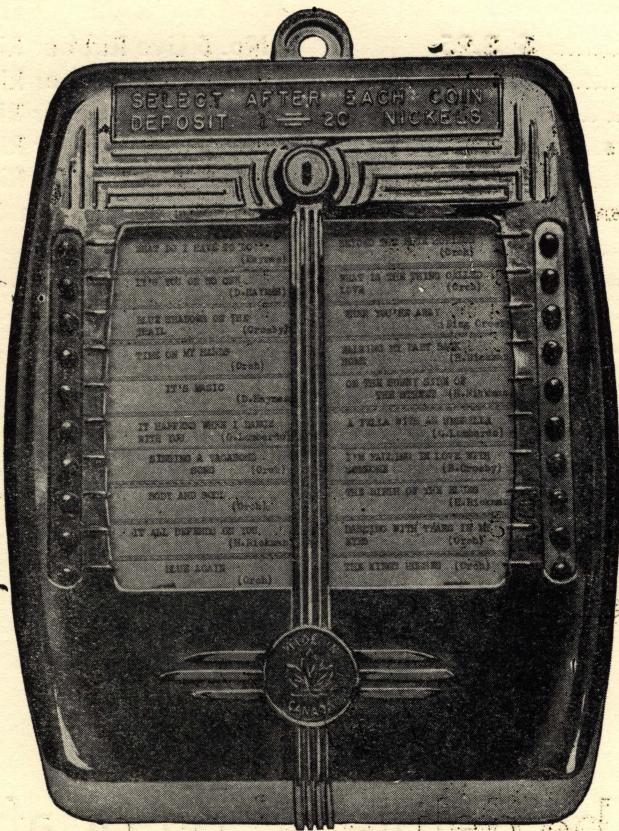
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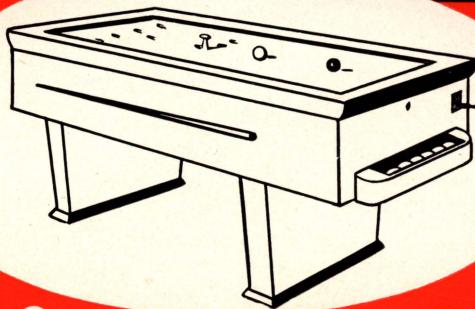
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- 2 TEE must be on spot in front of 200 Hole.
- 3 Place White Ball on Centre Spot.
- 4 Place a Red Ball on Starting Spot.
- 5 All shots are made from starting spot, trying to put balls into Holes.
- 6 After first shot, balls are taken from return rack.
- 7 Balls shot from starting point must hit another ball.
- 8 If table is clear, starting procedure is repeated.
- 9 If no balls are in the return rack, player picks up and plays nearest ball to foul line.
- 10 Last ball must be a cushion shot in any hole.
- 11 Highest score wins game.

PENALTIES

- 12 Player forfeits turn when failing to drop a ball in any hole.
- 13 Player forfeits entire score when upsetting TEE.
- 14 Player forfeits game if last ball fails to hit a cushion before dropping into any hole.
- 15 Player forfeits score of a particular turn and loses turn when:
 - A Failing to hit another ball.
 - B Causing any ball to return past the foul line.
 - C Causing any ball to leave the playing surface.
- 16 Scores are determined by value of hole into which balls are shot.
- 17 White ball scores double in any hole.
- 18 Last ball scores double.

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